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The largest and best assorted stock of
Dress Goods in the City
AT ATKINSON'S.

The best value in
Black and Colored Cashmeres, Silks and Satins at
ATKINSON'S.

The finest lot of Gloves and Hosiery
AT ATKINSON'S.

PARASOLS IN GREAT VARIETY
From 25 cents up.
AT ATKINSON'S

The cheapest Prints, Cottons, Tablings, Steerings, Towels, Napkins &c., &c.
AT ATKINSON'S.

LOVELY PATTERNS IN CRETONNES, LACE CURTAINS &c.
AT ATKINSON'S.

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At Atkinson's.

READY-MADE CLOTHING AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.
At Atkinson's.

Gents' Shirts, Ties and Underwear at clearing prices
AT ATKINSON'S.

THE LARGEST STOCK OF BOOTS AND SHOES TO BE FOUND
AT BOTTOM PRICES
At Atkinson's.

A large and well assorted stock of Groceries and Provisions on hand and to be had at rock bottom prices.

At T. T. Atkinson's.

NO SMALL POX HERE.
STABLES.
STABLES.

JUST OPENED.

— ON —
Tenth Street Between Rosser and Pacific Avenues,

Livery, Sale and Feed Stables

THE BEST STOCK OF HORSES EVER IMPORTED INTO THE COUNTRY. DEALERS IN OXEN, WAGGONS, ETC.

WELL & EDMUND.

Seeds Seeds Seeds!
GARDEN & FARM.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

Settlers Supplies a Spca y

A. E. GAVIN,

Corner 6th St. and Rosser Ave.

Winter & O'Neill's Old Stand.

GREAT REDUCTION

In Boots and Shoes, Readymade Clothing, &c.
This Branch must be cleared out to make room for a large consignment of Crockery and Glassware.

LOWER, BLACKBURN,
MUNDLE & PORTER,
or, Pacific Ave. and 10th St.,
BRANDON.

GENEAL WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF MERCHANDISE

AND

Emigrant's Outfits,

Having completed our additional Warehouse we are now prepared to submit to the trade generally an immense

STOCK OF GOODS

now complete in every Department, which for
Extent, Variety, Excellence and Value

we believe to be unequalled in the City.

The Dry Goods Department
will be found replete with all the leading Specialties and Novelties of the season.

Clothing and Gentlemen's Furnishing Department
unrivalled in the City for Cheapness, Style, Beauty and Attractiveness.

The Boot & Shoe Department
is most complete in extent, variety of style and especially adapted to the wants of the trade.

The Grocery and Provision Department

comprises an immense and unlimited range of fresh and seasonable Goods, embracing all the luxuries of the season.

The Hardware Department
unlimited in range and unchallenged in value.

The Crockery and Glassware Department
is simply immense

Look Here

THE OLD MADE NEW!

— GO TO —

McKenzie & Russell

If you want your Harness and Carriage repaired and painted in the best style or they are prepared to do anything and everything in the harness and wagon line.

Horse-Shoeing Second to None in the Province.

A LARGE STOCK KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

Also on hand a large stock of the Vansteedon Waggon, guaranteed to be the best in the market.

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THE CLUB STABLE
Twelfth Street, Brandon.

The above splendid building is now open, as a livery, feed and sale stable. It is most conveniently situated between Rosser and Princess Avenues, directly opposite the Brandon Club. Fast horses, every kind of rig, new harnesses, double sleighs, etc., always on hire and for sale. Horses and oxen bought and sold on commission.

Office of the Souris Plain Creek Stage.
Passengers booked through to the Turtle Mountain at lowest rates. Freightage done to all parts of the country.
JAMESON & KIRCHHOFFER, Props.
FRANK A. TAMBLYN, Manager.

ROY & Co.
PROPRIETORS

THE WINNIPEG
Brewing & Malting Co.
Ales Porter & Lager.

"BRANTFORD BINDER."

A. Harris, Son & Co.
(LIMITED.)

The impest Most Durabe. and Best Binder in the Market.

THE [A] 37 KNOTTER SIMPLIFIED.
Twelve Distinct Parts Combined in Two.

New Brantford Seeders,

THE BRANTFORD MOWER, THE CENTENNIAL RAKE, THE OSBORN CO. BINDER, THE BRANTFORD REAPER, SNOWBALL WAGGONS, SWEIGHT WAGGONS, FLOWS AND HARROWS always in stock.

Minnesota Chief. Climax and Vibrator Threshers.
Steam or Hets-power. Repairs for all our machinery always on hand.
TRAVELLERS—THOS. MERRITT, ALEX. NICHOL, F. A. SMITH.
THOS. LOVITT, Warehouseman. H. NICHOL, Manager.

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THE PLACE

FOR WATCHES, CLOCKS AND JEWELRY AT BOTTOM PRICES.

REESOR'S

All Repairing done with neatness and despatch.

D. A. Reesor.
Practical Watchmaker and Jeweler.

ROSSER AVENUE BRANDON



Look Here ! Look !

We have decided to sell out our stock of

BOOTS & SHOES

and Clothing

At Cost for Cash,
TO MAKE ROOM FOR OTHER BUSINESS.

Do not Loose the Chanc

Call and see the Bargains We Offer.

LEASK & ROSE,

Rosser Ave., Cor. 11th St.

General Merchants and Druggists

Brandon Post Office.

Arrival and Departure of the M

DAILY MAILS

Close for the East..... 11:15 a.m.
 Close for the West..... 2:00 p.m.
 Arrive from the East..... 3:30 p.m.
 Arrive from the West..... 12:00 p.m.

TRI-WEEKLY MAILS.

Close for

Rapid City	Monday	at 2:00 p.m.
Odessa	Wednesday	at 2:00 p.m.
Minneapolis	Friday	at 2:00 p.m.

Arrive from

Rapid City	Monday	at 11 a.m.
Odessa	Wednesday	at 11 a.m.
Minneapolis	Friday	at 11 a.m.

SEMI-WEEKLY MAIL.

London Mills	Monday	at 7 a.m.
Southwest	Wednesday	at 7 a.m.
Midland	Friday	at 7 a.m.

Arrive from

London Mills	Monday	at 6:30 p.m.
Southwest	Wednesday	at 6:30 p.m.
Midland	Friday	at 6:30 p.m.

WEEKLY MAILS.

Newdale	Monday	at 2:00 p.m.
Murray	Wednesday	at 2:00 p.m.
Shoal Lake	Friday	at 2:00 p.m.

Arrive from

Newdale	Monday	at 11 a.m.
Murray	Wednesday	at 11 a.m.
Shoal Lake	Friday	at 11 a.m.

Arrive from

Newdale	Thursday	at 10 a.m.
Shoal Lake	Friday	at 10 a.m.
Shoal Lake	Friday	at 4 p.m.
Shoal Lake	Friday	at 7 a.m.

J. G. KAVANAGH, Postmaster.

The Brandon Daily Mail.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13, 1883.

AN INTERESTING BUDGET.

The Public Accounts of this Province has always formed a unique and interesting chapter in our local public affairs, since the day of Attorney General Clarke, down to the present time. If any one whether expert or tyro has been able to make head or tail out of the Manitoba Public Accounts, or rather out of the Annual financial statements that have been made we would be pleased to make his acquaintance. Certainly the amount of money from time to time controlled by the Local Government has never been so large as to call for any stupendous financial labor while the term being passed over from the beginning of responsible government has done to this hour has not been so extended as to demand the highest arithmetical attainments. Beginning with a total reserve of considerably less than one hundred thousand dollars, the amount limit to which that expenditure can reach is only \$356,815 a sum not much larger than that which the City Council of a second rate city in the Dominion annually controls. It is true that the capital fund originally granted to us by the Dominion Government has been swept into the gulf by pressing necessities of actual want and of actual extravagance as well, but taking it altogether the amount in this year of Grace does not seem to warrant the elaborate system under which this expenditure must be made. No doubt under "Provincial autonomy" we must have a Lieutenant-Governor and a Cabinet of more paid Cabinet Ministers, besides a legislature framed after all the usages and practices of greater and wealthier provinces. We, too, must have annual sessions which cost the Province anywhere from \$20,000 to \$50,000. In fact we must have everything that other Provinces have, and the only thing we cannot get, it seems, is an increased revenue, and consequently an increased expenditure. Beyond question there is talent enough in the Legislature to secure at any time and upon the shortest notice an increased expenditure, but as this under the circumstances involves an enlarged revenue, and the credit of the Province is not too flattering, the problem does not appear quite head even to so plausible a financier as Mr. Laurier.

Some of our contemporaries will doubtless be able to show that there has been some little and in some cases preferential, expenditures made to families and influential persons, but these happen in all other provinces, and beyond all doubt they would occur whether Jack or Tom was Premier.

The fact, however, remains that the Provincial revenue from all sources is contemptibly small, and that unless it is in some way increased direct taxation must follow or our rulers will have to enter upon a plan of retrenchment heretofore unknown in our history. Our cabinet minister will have to give their services gratuitous, and essential allowances must be done away with, and probably bi-annual sessions be held instead of annual ones. A province that is foremost of all others to-day in the world as a field for immigration should certainly have a greater revenue than what it has in order to meet actual and absolutely necessary demands. It is true that municipalities must look to themselves wholly for advancement and improvement. Still for the administration of justice, for educational purposes, for elections, for legislation and for innumerable other items there must be a provincial revenue. Our Legislature in the past have addressed themselves to the problem, but with very little success. The present Legislature we have no doubt, unless party predilections interfere should give their fullest attention to this subject and if possible solve the financial problem in a way that will put it on the ordinary plan of possible financing.

AUCTION SALE

FARM LANDS.

THE undersigned will offer for Sale, by Public Auction, at the

LANGHAM HOTEL, 12th STREET, BRANDON

On SATURDAY, the 19th day of June next, at 2 p.m.

That valuable Farm, being the East Half of Section Fourteen (14), Township Eleven (11), Range Nineteen (19), West, in the County of Brandon.

There are 120 Acres fit for cultivation, good Dwelling House and Farm Buildings on the Property. It is partially fenced, and 80 acres have been under cultivation for two years.

The land will be offered for sale subject to a Mortgage of \$2,000, which has two years to run at ten per cent.

The Vendor reserves one bid.

Ten per cent. of the purchase money must be paid into the Agency of the Merchants Bank, at Brandon, to the credit of G. M. Macdonnell the Vendor, at the time of Sale, and the balance, less the amount of the Mortgage, in the manner within thirty days thereafter.

Dated this 19th day of May, 1883.

G. M. MACDONNELL, VENDOR.

G. B. ANGUS.

AUCTIONEER.

Burlington

SHOAL LAKE P. O.

The subscriber now offers for sale, valuable lots situated in any part of the town site of

Burlington!

On the Beautiful Beach of Shoal Lake in the County of Shoal Lake. The site is one of the most beautiful and picturesque in Manitoba, and is on the direct line of the Portage, Westbourne and N.W. Railway.

Plans being parts of N. E. 1 of Section 13 and S. E. 1 of Section 19, T. 10, R. 23 west. According to the Survey of Patrick & Steele, D. L. S., may be seen at the law office of Mr. Crenar, Minneapolis, also at Henderson & Henderson's Law Office Brandon, or on application to the subscriber.

J. H. SCOUTEN,
 Burlington, Shoal Lake, P. O.,
 Manitoba.

TERMS—One Third Cash, the balance in Six or Twelve Months.

F. J. BOWLES,

13 Notre Dame Street East, opposite the Potter House, Winnipeg.

ne,

Dimension Stone,
 Rubble Stone.

IN UNLIMITED QUANTITIES.

AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES

Full information given on application at the above address.

Organs,

Organs,

UXBRIDGE ORGAN

FOR SALE BY

MILLER & ROSS.

Nine Stop Organ only \$125.

Every Organ was acted for five years.

Furniture Warerooms!

MILLER & ROSS

ALEX. MCINTYRE,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Wines, Spirits and Liquors,

All Imported Direct.

The Finest Brands of Cigars

Always in Stock.

Remember the place—8th
 ROSSER AVE

ALEX. MCINTYRE.

J. McKivor, Agent.

Bankrupt Stock

SELLING OFF CHEAP!!!

Having purchased the Bankrupt Stock of Miss Elliott's, I intend Selling the same at a great

Reduction in Price,

Till the First of July, at Her Old Stand on

Rosser Ave, Northside

BETWEEN SEVENTH AND EIGHTH STREETS.

MISS SCOTT.

City of Brandon.

COURT OF REVISION

For the City of Brandon, for the Year 1883 will hold its First Sitting on

Friday, 18th May, 1883,

At 8 o'clock p.m., in the CITY HALL, when Appeals against the Assessment for the current year will be heard.

E. MARTINDALE, CLERK.

LEE & Co.,

For your outfit for

HORSES or OXEN.

Terms for cash that will save you Lots of Dollars.

LEE & CO. do their own work and guarantee everything turned out.

TRUNKS & VALISES,

and all other articles in the Leather business at Bottom Prices.

Sixth Street, near Rosser.

BRANDON

FLOURMILLS.

ALEXANDER, KELLY & SUTHERLAND

FOR SALE,

Large quantities of Seed and Feed Oats, by Car-load or in small quantities.

Best Brands of Flour, Bran, Shorts and Feed.

Shipments made with promptness.

N.B.—60 Acme Fanning Mills for Sale, cheap. These are the best in the Province.

CALL AND SEE!

THE ROYAL ROUTE.

Chicago, St Paul, Minneapolis, Omaha, and Chicago, and Northwestern Railways.

Passengers over the Royal Route have all the luxuries of Modern Railway travel. Palace Dining Cars, excursions, eating Room, sleepers, and day and night coaches for passengers who do not ride in sleeping cars, with no change of cars for any passengers between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago, also, no change of cars between St. Paul and Council Bluffs, with Through Sleepers to Kansas City.

If you wish the best travelling Accommodation always buy Tickets over the Royal Route.

H. HILAND,
 General Traffic Manager.

RUPTURE.

NORMAN'S ELECTRIC CURATIVE TRUSS, the best in the world, warranted to hold perfectly and is comfortable. Circular free. A. NORMAN, 4 Queen Street East, Toronto.

BABY

Can be kept quiet and comfortable by wearing around its little neck one of NORMAN'S ELECTRIC TEETHING NECKLACES. They are better than all the soothing Syrup in Canada. They give no shocks and are comfortable. Price 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. Ask for them and take no other.

Old Papers.

Old papers for sale at 50c. per hundred. Apply at this office.



PIONEER

Boot & Shoe

STORE.

Ninth Street,

Between Rosser Avenue and C.P.R. Depot.

WM. SENKBEIL

Begs to inform the ladies and gentlemen of Brandon and surrounding district that he has now on hand a CAREFULLY SELLING STOCK of

SUMMER GOODS,

Comprising everything in his line.

GENTS' LADIES' MISSES

AND CHILDRENS' WEAR.

Dealing exclusively in BOOTS and SHOES he is enabled to purchase at an advantage which allows him to offer superior goods at LOWEST CITY PRICES, and devoting his whole attention to this branch of trade, he is confident that he

Can Guarantee Satisfaction

to all who favor him with a call.

Custom Work

SHAVING, SHAMPOOING, HAIRCUTTING

receives SPECIAL ATTENTION, all orders, AS USUAL, executed PROMPTLY.

Note Address.

Ninth Street, between Rosser Avenue and C.P.R. Station.

\$2,500 WILL BUY

A bakery on 11th street, near Rosser Ave. Two story building 24x30, besides an addition 14x14 containing a furnace oven. The building has a stone front and is complete and suitable for any kind of business, or the same will be let at a reasonable rent. For terms &c., apply to

EDWARDS & PARRICK, 10th & 11th

For Sale or to Lease.

The building at present occupied by Geo. Ripple & Co., as a Horse and Saddle Shop, Eighth Street, near the Corner of Ross Avenue, will be sold or leased on favorable terms.

This building is 20 x 50, with lean to rear, and suitable for any business.

Apply on the premises, to Geo. Ripple & Co., or to

J. J. McKINNON, Real Estate Agent, Richards Block.

JUST TO HAND,

A large and fine assortment of

Breech and Muzzle Loading

GUNS!

Ranging from \$5.50 to \$75 each.

CALL AND SEE THEM.

Geo. Ripple & Co.

M. TEBO.

Livery Feed & Sale Stable

If you want

Liveries Single or Double.

Go to Tebo's, 5th street. Good horses and good vehicles. Terms moderate. Call and see him.

M. TEBO.

FARM FOR SALE.

Within three miles of Millbrook, house, stable, granary; 100 acres broken, creek runs through the farm. Will be sold on easy terms; clear title. For particulars price, etc., apply to

FRANK BURNETT.

Real Estate and Financial Agent

Fawcett & Shearer

BUILDERS

CONTRACTORS!

Near the Corner of

7th St. and Rosser Ave.

BRANDON.

Good Razors, Clean Towels.

Comfortable Chairs.

ROBINSON'S PARLOR.

4th & 5th

THE RUSH AT QUIGLY BROS'. Corner Store IS UNABATED

The Only Change being in the INCREASED NUMBER of their Patrons.

THE SUPERIOR EXCELLENCE of the quality of
their Goods in their many Varied Lines,

THE EXTREME CARE AND TASTE manifested in the selection made

AND THE BOTTOM PRICES at which their Goods can be Purchas-
ed, excelling in this respect all others in the City, ACCOUNT for the vastly
increasing trade being Secured by them, and for the CROWD which
UNCEASINGLY THROG THEIR ESTABLISHMENT.

CREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES.

DRY GOODS.

Prints from 5c. up.
Dress Goods from 15c. up.
Black and Coloured Cashmeres.
Black and Coloured Satin.
Nines Veiling in all Colours.

CHOICE LOT OF MILLINERY.

CARPETS.

Tapestry Carpets from 45c. up.
Brussels Carpets from \$1.25 up.
Hemp carpet from 15c. up.
Stair Carpet, Cocoa Matting and Oil Cloth.

COTTONS.

Grey Cotton from 7c. up.
Bleached Cotton from 9c. up.
50 Pieces of Sheetting, Blankets and Quilts.

FIRST CLASS
Dress Maker
In Connection.

\$8,000 IN CLOTHING.

Not having room for their large stock of Clothing, they have decided
to sell their whole stock at greatly reduced prices. A first-class Canada
Tweed Suit, including shirt collar, tie, hat and braces, for \$7, worth \$15.
first-class Scotch Tweed Suit for \$15, worth \$25.

100 Doz. Hats and Caps.

Straw and Felt from 10c. up.
A large and well selected stock of Shirts and Ties. Shirts from 25 c

Boots and Shoes

Their stock of Boots and Shoes are complete in all Lines.

Groceries and Provisions.

They guarantee to sell all Groceries Cheaper than any House in Bran-
don.
Highest Price Paid for Butter and Eggs.

QUIGLY BROS., corner store brick block cor. Rosser ave. & 6th St.

Coming,

Almost Here.

—THE—

Original University Singers of New Orleans

The only double quartette (colored) of Jubilee Singers traveling from
New Orleans, will give two entertainments in the C. M. METHODIST
CHURCH, in this City, on

Thursday and Friday Evenings, 21st and 22nd Inst.,

Commended by all who have heard them.

Reserved Seats, 75c; General Admission, 50c; Children under 12, 25c

Plan at Freedland's Book Store, on and after 15th inst.
Boxes open at 7 p.m. Commence at 8 p.m.

G. N. GILCHRIST.

Merchant Tailor

Has opened but a

First-Class Tailoring Establishment,

CORNER FIFTH AND ROSSER AVENUE

where will be found one of the finest stocks of

French Worsteds, Scotch
and English Tweeds

ever shown in the North-West.

Only first-class workmen employed and satisfaction guaranteed to all who may favor
me with their patronage.

G. N. GILCHRIST.

A. McLEAN,

—NEW—

HARDWARE STORE

**RICHARD BLOCK,
ROSSER AVENUE**

Opposite T T Atkinson's
Where keep on hand a full assortment of

SHELF HARDWARE,
PLATED GOODS,
COIL AND TRACE CHAINS,
BUILDING MATERIALS,
LAMPS,
CARPENTERS'S TOOLS
POCKET & TABLE CUTLERY,
HOT WATER URNS,
COAL OIL AND TINWARE.

A. McLean.

COLE & SANDERS,

Merchant Tailor. Cor. 7th St. and Rosser Ave.

POPULAR STYLES

POPULAR PRICES

Show the finest stock of
SCOTCH TWEEDS,
WORSTED,
and OVERCOATING
in the City.

All work executed on the premises
and guaranteed for style quality
and workmanship.

Also a superior stock of
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

COLE & SANDERS.

Terms Cash.

BRANDON.

TORONTO STORE

always to the front with the NEWEST GOODS and

The Lowest Prices.

Our stock of Dress Goods for the season comprises

SILKS AND SATINS, PLAIN AND BROCADED

WOOL CASHMERES

in black and colors.
DRESS GOODS,

of all kinds in endless variety

CLOVES AND CORSETS an immense stock. We are just opening out several cases of the
Finest Lot of Prints in all the newest styles that can be found in the city.
CRETONNES IN ENDLESS VARIETY, double and single face, Laid Curtains and Lambrèques,
Carpets, Floor and Oil Cloths, Mattings, etc. Cottons, Ducks and Denims, Dan-
die shirtings, Cotton Bags, Tents, etc. In GENTS' FURNISHINGS
we take the lead. All the new things in Ties, Collars, Hand
and Soft Felt Hats. Our stock of

GROCERIES

is very large, and having as we do right from the manufacturer, we have the miller's profit
and can therefore sell you most lines at wholesale prices. Also Groceries and hardware. Settler
coming in will find it to their advantage to call and inspect our stock before purchasing. Rooms
for the place. Toronto Store, corner 7th street and Rosser Ave.

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SOVEREEN & JOHNSTON.

First-Class Dressmaking by the Misses Arm-
strongs, late of Winnipeg. Rooms over Store!

PLEASANTRIES.

The apple and the small boy demonstrate cores and effect.

"A BADE," says a writer, "is a mother's anchor." We have often heard that the first thing she does is to weigh it.

When a member of Congress wanted his picture in a heroic attitude the artist painted him in the act of refusing a drink.

"What makes men fat?" asks a correspondent. Don't know, but about a quart of whisky will make a man lean—all around a lamp-post.

There is nothing like a bicycle to put flesh on a man. A Chicago man has had one only a week, and his left ankle is three inches larger around than it was when he first rode it.

It kind of disgusts an emigrant agent who has worked two hours to convince a victim that the town he blows for is healthy, to find that the proposed emigrant is by trade an undertaker.

An Irishman wrote thus to his wife of a sick brother: "If Jamie isn't dead yet, remind him of the twenty shillings he owes me on the pigs, and if he is, tell him not to give himself any concern about it."

A physician says: "It is healthiest to eat a melon right in the field when it is picked." Lime Kiln Club man writes us that it is false. The healthiest way is to run, and not stop to eat it till you're sure the farmer has called in his dog and given up the pursuit.

Mrs. PLAINDAME, after looking long and thoughtfully at a plaster cast of Shakespeare, remarked, "Poor man! How pale he was! He couldn't have been well when it was taken." "No," replied Fogg; "he was dead." "Ah, that accounts for it," said Mrs. P., drawing a sympathetic breath.

The Governor of a well-known prison extolled the liberal diet of the convicts under his care in the following manner: "They have not only 30 per cent. of azoted matter, 27 of albumen, 18 of gelatin, 15 of fibrine, and 7 of phosphates, but also 10 cubic yards of air a day—upward of 500 gallons—a regular orgie."

BRANDON TENT AND AWNING FACTORY.

Tents, Awnings, Horses and Wagon Covers. Carpet Sewing, etc.
EMERSON & ERLAND.
Ninth Street, North of C. P. R., Depot.

To Whom it May Concern

If you want a Nobby suit of Clothes just look through the Extensive Stock which has just arrived at the

Manchester House

Rock Bottom Prices

LOOK OUT FOR THE

BRANDON MAIL

At 5 o'Clock p.m. at the Mail Office and B

ORDER YOUR Job Printing AT THE MAIL JOB OFFICE.

J. D. McDOUGALL,

F. A. 1111

The Subscribers have re-opened their manufacturing establishment, and are now prepared to execute all orders with neatness, firmness and despatch.

CONTRACTING & BUILDING

Attended with promptness. Job Work executed at short notice.

Satisfaction Guaranteed in all Cases.

Additional machinery ordered and will shortly be at hand, when their premises will be enlarged and

INCREASED FACILITIES

afforded for the execution of all orders with which they may be entrusted and which they now solicit.

WOOD TURNING OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

McDOUGALL & McPHERSON

CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.

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Near corner 4th Street and Rosser Avenue, Brandon, Man.

A BOOM AT

The Hamilton Stove Store.

We have in Stock one car of

WOOD AND COAL

COOK STOVES

from one of the leading manufacturers. Also a fine lot of

COAL OIL COOKER

Granite Ware in endless variety, Japanned Goods, Tin Ware, Copper ware, Table and Pocket Cutlery, Lamps, Brackets, Lanterns, Chandeliers, Reflectors, Shades, Crock Stands, Paint, Stove and Shoe Brushes, Machine Oil and Coal Oil.

ROOFING AND REPAIRING

done at Shortest notice.

Cor. 5th St. and Rosser Ave.

WRIGHT & WRIGHT.

H. Meredith & Co

have completed preparations, and are now showing full lines in all the departments.

IN DRY GOODS,

We have the very latest styles, and, as the goods are all new, we call your special attention to that branch. We are also showing a large stock of

READY-MADE CLOTHING, GENTS' FURNISHINGS.

HATS AND CAPS.

HARDWARE !

We have in stock complete lines of

Builders', Fitters and Mechanics' Tools.

GROCERIES,

First Class China & Japan Teas

Tinned Goods of Every Variety.

Cross & Blackwell's Relishes

And a Choice Assortment of High Class Groceries

H. MEREDITH & Co.,

Rosser Ave. & 6th St.

WAGER \$500.00

To Whom it May Concern.

During the thunderstorm in August, 1882, the County of Middlesex, Ont., alone suffered to the extent of from \$50,000 to \$55,000 in the destruction of dwellings, barns and out-buildings. Not one of the structures consumed was furnished with rods from the Globe Lightning Rod Company of London, although there are thousands and thousands of feet of our Rods erected upon the barn houses and barns in Middlesex Co., and over 10,000 rods erected within the city limits alone during the past two years, the statements of a few witnesses to the contrary notwithstanding. The Globe Company, in order to show their confidence in the goods manufactured and sold by them, are prepared to place the sum of \$50,000 in the hands of His Worship the Mayor (or any other responsible citizen in London,) against a similar amount of deposited by any person or persons who can prove that a building protected with suitable rods from the Globe Company has been struck during either of the recent thunderstorms which have visited Western Ontario. The money to be divided between the different charitable institutions in Brandon. Orders by mail promptly attended to.

T. C. HEWITT,

Manager Globe Lightning Rod Co.

LONDON, ONTARIO.

LYMAN MEPEL, Sole Agent for the Northwest.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13, 1883.

LOCAL NEWS.

ICE cream and soda water at F. McKee's, 10th St.—ADVT.

FIRE! FIRE! Insure your dwellings with Fortier & Buckle. ADVT.

All kinds of confectionery made daily at F. McKee's, 10th St.—ADVT.

LEUT. COL Walker, ex-M. P. for London, Ont., was in the city yesterday.

The Alpha returned today from Fort Ellice.

FANCY bread and buns baked daily at F. McKee's, 10th St.—ADVT.

MR. GEORGE K. LEASON grain merchant, went down to Winnipeg today.

WE would like to know if the city council intend housing amateur printing offices.

THE farmers in this district are busy engaged breaking fresh land.

THE Winnipeg assessment for 1883 amounts to \$32,648,000.

The wedding parties are expected home from their tour to-morrow.

MR. J. A. LANG of the American Lumber Co., returned to-day from Winnipeg.

The root crop bids fair to be a good one this year. The potatoes are now showing their heads about three inches above the ground.

THE commons in front of the MAIL office would have been a better position for the hand stand than the street corner, as it would have allowed of a promenade.

OUR correspondents would confer a great favor if they will write only on one side of the paper. The manuscript has to be cut in small pieces called "takes," for the convenience of the compositors, and consequently if written on both sides entails endless bother and confusion.

AFTER the huntsman referred to in an another column, left our office this a. m. one of the news boys nodded significantly and remarked, "Oh! How he keenly sighed when he thought of his hat."

MR. F. L. NEWMAN, who has been for some length of time in the Establishment of Messrs. Flower Blackburn Mundle Porter, left to-day for Medicine Hat, to engage in business in that place. Mr. Newman is a practical man, and well versed in the Indian languages, and will no doubt be successful in his venture.

Brandon Rifle Association.

The general meeting of this Association held in the Association Room & Amoury over G. Ripples store last evening and was well attended.—The Secty was ordered to place the Rifles, which are loaned, the Association by the Manitoba Rifle Association, in the rack-stand at once and have a supply of ammunition on hand for the members.—This Association has affiliated with the M.R.A. and will elect 20 members to represent itself in the M.R.A. at the next meeting.—(Tuesday the 19th inst.) Members who were not present at the meeting might wish to send their subscription to Esplanade Bldg.—The Secretary of the Club—As soon as possible—As funds are required to fit up the range and other matters.

The Minutes by resolution authorised the Secty, to collect the dues and as he does not know where the members live, he will be obliged if they will send or leave the amount at the Store of G. Ripples & Co.

Every thing is ready now for a first class Association and the residents of Brandon should show their interest in the matter by attending the practices and encouraging the members to go ahead.

WHO WOULDN'T GO SHOOTING?

As Hope and Fear Alternate Chase our Course Through Life's Uncertain Race.

A young gentleman thirsting for glory on the field of battle sallied forth the other evening, armed with a new "exterminator," to the prairie south of the city, in quest of game. After travelling a few miles out he came to a little babbling rivulet, seeking its way to our serpentine stretch of the glistening, and saw floating quietly on its bosom a flock of ducks. The young man, who is of a nervous temperament, dropped to his knees, and crouched along to within a few yards of where the ducks were sporting. He paused, and without waiting to give them an opportunity to pray, brought his gun to bear in their direction, closed both eyes, and executed some difficult facial contortions, and fired. Rising to his feet he rushed to the edge of the brook to secure his game, but alas! the ducks were still floating serenely on the water a few hundreds off. Throwing all the blame on the gun, the young man turned to look for new fields to conquer, swearing softly at his luck. His eagle eye soon caught a dark object moving slowly over the prairie and after executing a brilliant flank movement, he came up to his adversary, and blazed away with both barrels at once, scattering the animal, which he took to be a lugger, in fragments over the green sward. A few yards from where the fall deed was committed, he found a young animal of the same

species, and as "ambition springs eternal in the human breast," and the thought struck him how nice it would be to tame it for a household pet. So utilizing his hat (a brand new Derby), for a cradle, he captured the pretty little animal and started for home, when suddenly, with an expression, which we do not like to repeat, he pitched the contents of the hat to the ground, and started on the run for the city. The young gentleman is now looking for the man who told him to handle a pole-cat tenderly, and that kind words can never die.

Municipality of Cypress.

Minutes of a regular meeting held in Millford on Tuesday, the 5th day of June, 1883.

Present, the warden, councillors Thomas, Garret, Atkinson, Leitch, Burnett and Naismith.

The warden having called the council to order, the clerk read the minutes of the last meeting.

Moved by Coun. Atkinson, seconded by Coun. Leitch, that the minutes of the previous meeting be adopted. Carried.

Communications were then read from the following:—

Secretary Judicial Board, Portage la Prairie, respecting the amount of assessment for 1883.

From the Brandon municipality respecting a settlement of affairs.

Mr. Councillor Naismith, the chairman of the road and bridge committee for ward No. 3 made his report setting forth that in accordance with instructions received from the council, the committee had advertised for tenders for the running of the ferry across the Souris River at Millford and had awarded the contract to Mr. John Wheeler for the sum of \$40. Messrs. Duncan & Reid becoming his bondsmen. Mr. Coun. Burnett had the necessary papers now in course of preparation.

And as regards the capstan, the chairman continued, that the contract had been awarded for its construction to Mr. Daniel Wilson for the sum of \$17, and that it was all fixed and ready. With regard to the alterations in the Oak Creek bridge required by the council at its last meeting, he had to state that Major Rogers, the contractor, had not removed the sill as requested but instead that he had braced up the bridge so substantially and solidly that in his (the chairman's) opinion, it was thoroughly secure.

Moved by Coun. Thomas, seconded by Coun. Atkinson, that the report of the chairman of the road and bridge committee of ward No. 3 be adopted as regards the ferry and that a committee of three be appointed to examine and report on the Oak River bridge. Carried.

The committee was then named, viz: Couns. Atkinson, Naismith and Thomas.

The warden gave notice of his intention to introduce by-law No. 18 in the afternoon session for the purpose of restraining animals from running at large between the hours of sunset and sunrise in ranges 13, 14 and 15 in this municipality.

Moved by Coun. Atkinson, seconded by Coun. Naismith, that Mr. Abbott be heard with reference to a proposed bridge. Carried.

Mr. Abbott stated that he had received a notice from the clerk of the municipality stating that it was the wish of the council that he as path-master should put the statute labor on his beat onto the bridge between sections 3 and 4 over Oak Creek, which bridge it was his wish to point out to the Council was claimed to be off the Road Allowance and upon the land held by one, Pernet.

The Warden here pointed out that the Statute gave the Municipality power to force a bridge and road through any man's farm the said man receiving such compensation as may be awarded by a board of arbitration.

Mr. Abbott continued, that regarding the Bridge that had been applied for by petition that he would beg to submit that it was one would be of the greatest use and benefit to the surrounding settlement and that it would be very easily built at a minimum expense, and would the Council allow him to put the Statute labor on its construction in which case it would at once be proceeded with, and the Council would not be asked one dollar towards its construction for in the event of the Statute labor proving insufficient that the settlement recognizing its utility and necessity would complete it themselves.

(To be continued.)

The Young Men of Brandon are invited to inspect the fine stock of Tweeds for New Spring Suits at Scott & Palmer's. They are very choice, consisting of English, Scotch & Canadian Tweeds, French Worsted coatings, etc. etc. etc. Also a fine stock of Made-up Clothing from a common Working Suit, \$3 to \$12 up to very fine all wool Scotch and Canadian Suits. A Good stock of Spring overcoats. Rubber Coats and Spring Made Clothing on hand.

THE CENTRAL MEAT MARKET!

ISAAC C. LEWIS

East of FLEMING'S APOTHECARIES HALL

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in BEEF, PORK, MUTTON, VEAL, LAMB, BACON, SAUSAGE, FRESH AND SALT FISH, VENISON, POULTRY, etc.

Meat shipped to any point on the C.P.R. at moderate rates. Remember the hand-east of Fleming's Drug Store.

N. B.—Steakhouse supplied nearest notice.

COMMERICAL.

Markets corrected weekly by E. Parrish & Co. Grain Merchants.

THE WHOLESALE PRICES.

Wheat, No. 1, per bush.	\$0.75 @ \$0.75
Oats, per bush.	40 @ 40
Barley	40 @ 40
Peas	2.50 @ 3.00
White Beans	3.00 @ 3.25
Flax	2.00 @ 2.75
Flour, per sack	3.75 @ 4.00
Flour, patent process, per sack	3.75 @ 4.00
Meal per barrel	4.00 @ 4.25
Corn Meal per barrel	1.00 @ 1.25
Shorts, per 100 lbs.	18.00 @ 20.00
Bran, per ton	4.50 @ 4.75
Salt, common, per brl	3.00 @ 3.25
Wool, per cord	12 @ 12
Hemp, per lb.	12 @ 12
Pork	12 @ 12
Bacon per lb.	12 @ 12
Tallow	3.50 @ 4.00
Hides	16 @ 14

RETAIL MARKET.

Beef, Roast, per lb.	16 @ 14
Steak	12 @ 12
Boiling	12 @ 12
Veal, roast	20 @ 20
Pork, roast	20 @ 20
Steak	20 @ 20
Mutton, roast	20 @ 20
Lamb, per lb.	20 @ 20
Ham	20 @ 20
Bacon	20 @ 20
Lard	20 @ 20
Sausage per lb.	20 @ 20
Chickens	20 @ 20
Liver	20 @ 20
Kidney	20 @ 20
Head Cheese per lb.	20 @ 20
Chickens	20 @ 20
Tongue	20 @ 20
Chopped Suet	20 @ 20
Turkeys	20 @ 20
Geese	20 @ 20
White Fish per lb.	20 @ 20
White Fish smoked	20 @ 20
Pinen Haddie per lb.	20 @ 20
Pike per lb.	20 @ 20
Butter	20 @ 20
Eggs per doz.	20 @ 20
Potatoes per bush	20 @ 20
Cabbage per head	20 @ 20
Carrots per bush	20 @ 20
Beets	20 @ 20
Carrots	20 @ 20
Onions per lb.	20 @ 20
Hay per ton	20 @ 20
Coal	20 @ 20
wood per cord	20 @ 20

The following are the quotations in this line

Dimensions	\$8 @ 60
2, 4, 2, 2, 10, 12, 14 and 16 feet	32 @ 40
Common Boards, No. 1, per M.	32 @ 40
Shedding Boards	32 @ 40
Cull Boards	32 @ 40
Siding, No. 1	32 @ 40
Flooring No. 1	32 @ 40
7-8 Beaded Ceiling	32 @ 40
3-8	32 @ 40
6 Clear Shingles	32 @ 40
5 Clear Shingles	32 @ 40
No 1 Shingle	32 @ 40
Lath	32 @ 40

BIRTHS.

HELLYAR—On June 11th, the wife of A. B. Hellyar, of a son.

New Advertisements.

Pasturage!

At the foot of 18th Street, adjoining the City. Apply to

C. C. HELLIWELL on the premises. 147-59

FOR SALE!

AT A BARGAIN.

A Small House with three rooms. Apply to

J. J. MCKINNON, Real Estate Agent, 10th Street, Brandon.

TO CONTRACTORS!

Separate and Bulk Tenders will be received up to noon on Monday, 18th June, for the erection and completion of a Terrace of Six Houses for Messrs. Adams Bros. Plans and specifications can be seen at Messrs. Head & Demar's Office, on Corner of 6th Street and Rosser Avenue, over Mr. Meredith's store. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. 147-49

For Sale NEAR BRANDON,

Section A 1 land, 77 acres under crop, more being broken, houses, fencing and clear deed, 10 miles from Brandon. Apply to

For further particulars apply to P. O. Box 38, Brandon. 144-1m

NOTICE TO DEBTORS.

Estate Owen Carson.

ALL PERSONS indebted are required to pay the amount of their account at once, at the Store, Sixth Street, to my agent, John S. Reed, or in his absence to Mr. E. M. Day, who are also authorized to receive the same. All amounts not paid by the 25th instant will be put into lawyers hands for collection. ANDREW STRANG, Trustee.

NOTICE.

All persons are warned against negotiating a note of \$24.00, made in favor of Andrew Strang, payable June 15th 1883. 139-3m

WANTED.

Situation as manager of a farm. Ten years experience in Ontario and four in Manitoba. Address, J. L. Mail office, Brandon. 145-3

WANTED.

FIRST-CLASS BLACKSMITH, good wages, and steady employment. McKenzie and Hessel, 6th Street, Brandon.

STRAYED

ON to the Premises of the Subscriber, Sec. 17, T. 9, R. 18, a BAY PONY.

Brandon Hills, May 28th.

WANTED.

A SITUATION by a Married Man and his Wife, thoroughly acquainted with the management of a farm. Managed a large farm in Perthshire, Scotland, for some years.—Address, Mail Office, Brandon.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY give Notice that HENRY JAMES is no longer in my employ, and that I will not be responsible for any debts or liabilities incurred by him on my account after this date.

Brandon, 5th June, 1883. J. D. McBurnie.

HOUSES and LOTS

For Sale IN BRANDON.

At Low Prices

Lots 1 and 2 block 42 Johnston estate \$70

Lot 3 in same block and house - 80

Lots 16 and 17 block 4 C. P. R. survey 80

Lot 12 in same block and house - 80

Lots 12 and 3 block 43 Johnston estate 300

Apply to E. M. BOWDEN, Mortician.

LOST.

On the Shepherd Trail, near Brandon, an ACCOUNT BOOK, and IMPERIAL BANK PASS BOOK, containing Four Five-Dollar Bills and other Papers.

The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving the same at "Star and Garter" Hotel, or at this Office.

G. WHITTINGTON.

W. R. GRAHAM,

CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER, Felt, Pitch and Gravel Roofing done on shortest notice.

OFFICE—BAUBIER HOUSE.

NOTICE.

To Whom it may Concern.

Owen Carson, of the town of Brandon, Manitoba, and Regina, Northwest Territories, merchant, has made an assignment to me, for the benefit of his creditors, of all his real and personal estate and effects.

A statement of his affairs is now being made out, and a meeting of creditors will be called for as early a date as possible.

ANDREW STRANG, Trustee, Winnipeg, June 4th, 1883.

For Sale—Cheap.

Two Lots ON THE VIVIAN ESTATE.

For full particulars apply to A. DICKSON, Yorkshire House.

WANTED.

Teacher Wanted.

FOR the Souris School District, holding not less than a 2nd Class Provincial Certificate. Duties to commence 15th June. Applicants will state Salary, Grade of Certificate, number of years' experience and present testimonials. Address J. M. Harrison, Secy-Treas., Souris P.O., Man.

STRAYED

FROM sec. 4, township 12, range 15, about the 10th of May, A SMALL-SIZED BROWN MAKE PONY, with long mane and tail, the point of right ear cut off, and left hind foot white. Any person giving information as to her whereabouts will be suitably rewarded.

JOHN McDONNELL, Warden, Montrose, P.O.

Choice Brandon Lot For Sale

Lot 18, in Block 47, on 18th Street, Section 23, Brandon. Price \$500. Terms, \$100 Cash, balance to suit purchaser.

T. H. CORREGAN, Box 17, Winnipeg.

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED tenders, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on 17th September next, for the conveyance of her Majesty's Mail, on a proposed Contract for four years, once per week each way, between Prince Albert and Troy, from the 1st November next. The conveyance to be made in suitable two-horse vehicles, to leave Prince Albert every Monday at noon, and arrive at Troy the following Monday at noon; to leave Troy every Tuesday at 7 a.m., and arrive at Prince Albert the following Monday at noon.

Persons tendering are required to also state for what sum per annum they will perform a fortnightly service over same route.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Edmonton, Fort Saskatchewan, Stobart, Touchwood Hills, and Qu'Appelle, each way.

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The conveyance to be made in suitable two-horse vehicles, via Fort Saskatchewan, Battleford and Carleton, each way.

The Mail to leave Edmonton every third Saturday, at 7 a.m., arriving at Stobart the second Monday following at noon, and to leave Stobart every third Monday at 7 a.m., arriving at Edmonton the second Wednesday following at noon.

Persons tendering are required to also state for what sum per annum they will perform a fortnightly service over same route.

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W. W. MACLEOD, P.O. Inspector, Post Office Inspector's Office, Winnipeg, 4th June, 1883.

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED Tenders, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on 17th September next, for the conveyance of her Majesty's Mail, on a proposed Contract for four years, once in three weeks each way, between Edmonton, Alberta, and Stobart, Saskatchewan, from the 1st November next.

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W. W. MACLEOD, P.O. Inspector, Post Office Inspector's Office, Winnipeg, 4th June, 1883.

Brandon Machine Shop

GENERAL BLACKSMITHING.

LIGHT AND HEAVY FORGING,

REPAIRING BOILERS, ENGINES

IMPLEMENTS, and all kinds of MACHINERY.

Bridge Irons and Castings

Supplied at lowest prices.

Being practical men, and having first-class Machinery, we are prepared to do work promptly, and to guarantee satisfaction.

We also manufacture a

FIRST-CLASS PUMP.

9th St., between Princess and Louis Streets.

BRANDON.

ISAAC M. RIESBERRY.

ALEX CRAWFORD

Sale of

Dominion Lands

BY PUBLIC AUCTION

IN THE

City of Brandon

COMMENCING

Tuesday, the 3rd July, 1883.

The adjourned Auction Sale of Dominion Lands within the Mile Right South of the Twenty-four Mile Belt, and Souris Coal Land.

Will be continued at Brandon, on Tuesday 3rd July next, and following days.

Meantime these Lands may be purchased at upset prices on application here.

A. WALSH, Commissioner.

Winnipeg, May 29th, 1883.</